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NOTIFICATIONS RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF PANCHAYAT RAJ

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STATE ELECTION COMMISSION

CANCELLATION OF REGISTRATION OF THE CERTAIN REGISTERED POLITICAL PARTIES FOR NOT COMPLYING WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE SYMBOL ORDER, 2001.

Ref :- 1. The registration political parties and allotment symbols Order No.584/SEC-B2/2001, dt. 12.6.2001.
 2. This office Lr.No.641/SEC-L/2009, dated 17.6.2009, 7.8.2009 & 8.10.2009.
 3. This office Show cause notice No. 641/SEC-L/2009, dated 14.12.2009, 30.1.2010 & 20.7.2010.

ORDER

No. 641/SEC-L/2009 .— In the reference 1st cited, the State Election Commission issued Registration of Political Parties and Allotment of Symbol Order, 2001, to provide for registration of political parties and allotment of symbols to the candidates in election to local bodies.

2. Paragraph 3 (9) (c) of the said symbol order, 2001 stipulates that every political party registered with the State Election Commission shall file a copy of the annual audited accounts of the party and a copy of the income tax returns filed under the law for the relevant year in State Election Commission within a period of one year after the end of the relevant financial year.

3. In the letter 2nd cited, the State Election Commission has requested the Political Parties which have completed one year since they were registered with State Election Commission to furnish a copy / copies of annual audited accounts of the party and also copy / copies of the income tax returns filed under the law for the relevant period after registration of their party.

4. As required under para 3 (9) (C) of the said symbol order 2001, the following 7 Political Parties registered with the State Election Commission have not filed a copy / copies of annual audited accounts and a copy / copies of the income-tax returns for the relevant period as detailed below.

S.No.	Name of the Party	Date of registration	Annual audited accounts and income tax returns are due for the financial year	Date before which returns are to be filed with SEC	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Hyderabad Praja Party	16.2.2004	2007-2008	31.3.2009	Not filed
			2008-2009	31.3.2010	-do-
2.	Mahajan Party	3.1.2003	2007-2008	31.3.2009	-do-
			2008-2009	31.3.2010	-do-
3.	Praja Congress Party	26.12.2001	2007-2008	31.3.2009	-do-
			2008-2009	31.3.2010	-do-
4.	Shanti Bharat National Party	19.11.2007	2007-2008	31.3.2009	-do-
			2008-2009	31.3.2010	-do-
5.	Telangana Jana Samithi	11.12.2001	2007-2008	31.3.2009	-do-
			2008-2009	31.3.2010	-do-
6.	Telangana Praja Party	12.12.2001	2007-2008	31.3.2009	-do-
			2008-2009	31.3.2010	-do-
7.	Telugu Praja Samithi	18.12.2003	2007-2008	31.3.2009	-do-
			2008-2009	31.3.2010	-do-

5. Paragraph (9) in part III of the said Symbol Order, 2001 stipulates for cancellation of the registration of political parties for not following the directions of the State Election Commission which reads as follows:

“9 - Power of Commission to suspend or withdraw registration of a political party for its failure to observe Model Code or follow lawful directions and instructions of the Commission Not notwithstanding anything in this order, if the Commission is satisfied on information in its possession, that a political party, registered under the provisions of this order, has failed or has refused or is refusing or has shown or is showing defiance by its conduct or otherwise (a) to observe the provisions of the Model Code of Conduct for Local Body Elections, as amended from time to time, (b) to abide by the provisions of this Order or (c) to follow or carry out the lawful directions and instructions of the Commission, given from time to time, with a view to furthering the conduct of free, fair and peaceful elections or a safeguarding the interests of the general public and electorate in particular, the Commission may, after taking into account all the available facts and circumstances of the case and **after giving the party a reasonable opportunity of showing cause in relation to the action proposed to be taken against it either suspend, subject to such terms as the Commission may deem appropriate, or withdraw the registration of such party.”**

6. In the reference 3rd cited, the State Election Commission has issued show cause notices to the said 7 Political Parties directing them to show cause within 15/10 days from the date of receipt of the notice as to why the registration of their political parties should not be cancelled under paragraph (9) of the said Symbol Order, 2001 without any further notice.

7. There is no response from the said 7 political parties to the show cause notices issued.

8. Therefore, under paragraph 9 in part-III of the said Symbol order, 2001 the registration of the following Political Parties registered with the State Election Commission is hereby cancelled with immediate effect for not complying with the provisions of paragraph 3 (9) (c) of the said Symbol Order, 2001.

1. Hyderabad Praja Party

2. Mahajan Party

3. Praja Congress Party
4. Shanti Bharat National Party
5. Telangana Jana Samithi
6. Telangana Praja Party
7. Telugu Praja Samithi

Secunderabad,
16-08-2010.

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Secretary.

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